

A FEMALE RECLUSE.

The Virginia Footlight relates that at the edge of what is called Twenty-one Mile Desert, about eighteen miles from that city, there lives, all alone, and in that squalor and extreme poverty characteristic of hermits, a woman by the name of Nelson, aged above fifty-five years. She has lived in the one spot for ten years, never leaving it except when the procurement of the bare necessities of life in the line of food and clothing compelled her to visit a small trading place on the Carson river, distant eight or nine miles. She has but once or twice during the five years that she has lived in this seclusion visited Virginia, and never has gone further from her lonely habitation or to any other place but those named.

Her house—it can scarcely be called such—is most inhospitable; it is a small building that day and night may be seen through it in any part; indeed the apertures are so great and so many that birds, made bold by the prevailing quietude, fly in and out at will; the floor is that made of the frozen ground; a filthy goat's wool laid on the bare earth furnishes her couch; a stove of sufficient dilapidation to correspond with the general outfit stands in the corner; goats, of a half Caracassian breed, about about the premises and enjoy the freedom of the house; such is the domestic in main points, which this singular creature occupies. No house can be seen from it, nor any sign of civilized life. Indeed, the Indians scarcely ever frequent the locality, for the reason that it is comparatively sterile of herbage and barren of game.

Mrs. Nelson was married about ten years ago, and lived but a year with her husband, when he left her, since when she has never heard from him. So much was she mortified and bereaved by his loss that she resolved to live and die in the abode and upon the spot of their first joint selection. At the time of their locating there overland travel from the East and freight shipments to Austin and other points in that direction passed by, and it was a watering and feeding place. Now scarcely anyone ever travels that way, and it is altogether about as lonely a spot as one could well find in this whole lonely State.

The woman gets her living from a flock of goats, which she milks and kills, and some chickens, which feed from the product of the goats and whatever else they may find. When our informant (who is an observing person) visited the place, while on his way to Stillwater, day before yesterday, he found the singular recluse without any food save a few bad potatoes. She told him she was formerly from Boston, where her people, she supposed, still lived, although she had not written to or heard from them for fifteen years. In consequence of her unfortunate marriage she did not care even to hear from them. She lives just within the borders of Lyon county, and is, no doubt, the most singular person in all the heterogeneous population of this State. Unfortunately our informant did not get her maiden name, so that her people, if living, might find out her whereabouts through the newspapers.

THE DOG.

Mighels, of the Carson Appeal, is the author of the annexed essay. Read it:

It is said that the distinguishing trait between man and the brute creation is the capacity of the former, for laughter. The dog makes a very commendable effort in the direction of this mirthful demonstration by the wagging of his tail. A gentle undulatory motion of that appendage may be taken for a smile; a more decided movement of the member is to be interpreted into a gentle cackling; while the rapid and vehement action of the tail is unmistakably a hearty guffaw. But at best this is a mere pantomime. There is nothing in all this wagging which is up to the contagious mirthfulness of a sympathetic human snort, coming unrestrained and irrepressible from the bottom of the comical capacities of mortal man. But we witnessed a casualty on Sunday which came very near depriving a certain bulldog of even the circumscribed capacity for imitating the human laugh with which Providence has invested the canine family. Our friend Doctor Benton has a coach-dog. The doctor having just started on a journey up Carson street, this dog manifesting his joy by capering and jumping in front of the horses. Just opposite Mr. Farrell's bar was a bull-dog. When his severe eye rested upon that spotted distant relative of his, the blood of his ancestors boiled within him. It was a thought, an impulse, a mad rush and an attack. There was a yelp and then a roar. The first proceeded from the frightened coach dog. The latter was emitted by his baffled assailant, followed one another with quick succession, but they who looked the most sharply detected the situation in all its intricate phenomena. Scarcely

had the bull-dog made his assault when one of the wheels of the buggy settled down upon his tail, amputating the end of that misguided adornment in the most summary and unmistakable manner. Then we saw, with a newly awakened curiosity, that a dog's tail may also express dissatisfaction, surprise, astonishment and disgust. We never saw any creature human or otherwise, exhibit a more painful sense of bewilderment and humiliation than were painted on every inch of that dog's tail and in all the lineaments of his face, as he stood there, watching the retreating form of that buggy. All thought of conflict had vanished out of his mind; and "the big wars that make ambition virtue" had suddenly become uninteresting to him as to the most peaceful and harmless lamb. With a motion which betokened an inexpressible depth of sorrow, repentance and profound dismay, he stole one bitter reproachful look at the hard face of the street, another of ill-disguised curiosity which far outweighed all unworthy thought of mere physical pain, upon his disfigured and bleeding tail, and moved away from the scene, sorrowful, downcast and broken hearted.

KARS.—Kars is one of the gates between Turkey and Persia, and opens to the invaders a road to the great route to Teheran on the Southeast; toward Erzerum and the Euphrates on the Southwest; and, most important of all, to Trebizonde on the East,—which could not be long defended by land, and which, once invested by the Russians, could render effective assistance to the Czar's Black Sea squadron. Kars is, in fact, the key to Russian success in Asiatic Turkey. Its fortifications cover an area of ten square miles. The town is on a plain nearly seven thousand feet above the level of the sea, and is surrounded on three sides by rugged hills which form natural bases for defense. A little stream of the same name flows by on the southeast. The population is about twelve thousand, chiefly Armenian, who make a security living out of the through trade between the East and the West. The climate is so severe that travelers are glad to get on the road again, and the surrounding hills furnish hospitality for so large bands of robbers that armed guards accompany merchants' stock to the plains. The city was the capital of an Armenian kingdom, but Turkish conquest, Ottoman administration, and taxation by the Porte have reduced it to a mere half-way house.

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POULTRY,

EGGS,

PRESERVES,

CANDIES,

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—AND—

VEGETABLES OF ALL KINDS.

—WHICH I WILL SELL—

At the Very Lowest Market Prices

Having a New Delivery Wagon I am now prepared to deliver goods to any part of the city free of charge.

Reno, April 1, 1877. v2-30M

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The repairing and adjusting of fine watches a specialty. All work done at the lowest possible price, and warranted.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

Everything Placed at the Lowest Living Figures.

F. M. PAYNE,

Carpenter, Contractor and Builder,

West Street, Reno, Nevada.

I AM PREPARED TO FURNISH AND BUILD anything in my line. Any one wishing to build will do well to call on me.

DOORS, SASH AND BLINDS.

(of Sugar Pine)

Furnished to Order.

Having a Carpenter, Carpenter, etc., I am prepared to move buildings for all who wish to.

J. K. FATHER.

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FARMER STORE.

THE FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE

ASSOCIATION,

Corner Virginia and Second Streets,

RENO, NEVADA,

Will offer to the public, from and after this date

At Lower Rates Than any Other

Store in the State of Nevada.

A Full Assortment of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

HARDWARE, GLASSWARE,

TINWARE, CROCKERY,

LIQUORS, TOBACCO,

And everything that is usually kept in a first-class store.

We also keep on hand

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

JOHN CAHLAN, Manager.

Reno, March 19, 1877.

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THE GREAT SWEDISH HERB DOCTOR,

John Willey's Discovery.

DR. WILLEY'S Wonderful and Scientific

Discovery effects a Sure and Permanent Cure of

Chronic Diseases, Coughs, Whooping

Cough, Fever and Ague, Headache, Catarrh,

Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Neuritis, Foot-

ache, Brachitis, Spitting of Blood, Rheumatism,

Pain, Sprains, Swellings, Diseases of the Lungs

and Liver.

Read the following, from a citizen:

RENO, APRIL 25, 1877.

DOCTOR WILLEY—Dear Sir—Some time since

I had a bad cough. I tried many different medi-

cines but with no effect, until I tried your

Discovery, and in a few days my cough was en-

tirely broken up, and in less than a week, I was

entirely well. I also tried your Discovery for

the chronic liver complaint, and dyspepsia of 25

years standing, and it cured me. I have also

used it for Catarrh, Croup and as a Laxative, and

had it very useful. It has cured my cousin. I

would not be without your Discovery.

M. L. SWIFT.

For Sale at all the Principal Drug

Stores. may-17

OUR SPECIALTY.

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

IMPORTED FRENCH KIDS.

At Low Prices, to be had at

JACOB PRESCOTT'S

Fashionable Dry Goods Establish-

ment.

Also, the largest and most choice lot of ladies'

muslin and children's latest styles

PARASOLS,

Just received at prices to suit all buyers, at the

same place.

All the ladies are cordially invited to call

and examine our ENTIRE STOCK, and judge

for themselves. Respectfully,

may-17 JACOB PRESCOTT.

NOTICE.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED CITIZENS OF

the County of Washoe, State of Nevada, having

been appointed by the Board of Supervisors of

the County of Washoe, State of Nevada, to

sell the real estate of the late A. H. BARNES, at

the place of sale of the same, we hereby

give notice that the same will be sold at

the place of sale of the same, at the

LEGAL.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the District Court of the Second Judicial District, in and for Washoe county, State of Nevada, duly attested on the twentieth day of February, A. D. 1877, to me directed and delivered on the 20th day of March, 1877, upon a judgment recovered in said Court, on the thirty first (31st) day of January, 1877, in favor of FUGUS, Defendant, for the sum of one thousand forty-six (146) and 65/100 dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, all paid together with twenty-nine and 60/100 dollars, costs and disbursements at the date of said judgment, and accruing costs, I have levied upon the following real property to wit: All of that lot, parcel of land situated in the town of Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, beginning at a point on the south line of Carson road, thence to the south line of said road, thence north to point of beginning, also the mill and dwelling house and other appurtenances thereon or then to be holding.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, April nineteenth (19th) A. D. 1877, at ten o'clock P. M. of said day, in front of the Court House in said Washoe county, State of Nevada, I will sell at public auction all the right, title and interest of the said Defendant in and to the above described property to the highest and best bidder, for cash, to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs.

By Wm. H. Young, Deputy Sheriff.

Dated March 20th, A. D. 1877.

The above sale is postponed until Tuesday,

May 8th, 1877, at the same hour and place.

By Wm. H. Young, Deputy.

April 16th, 1877.

The above sale is postponed until Thursday,

May 10th, 1877, at the same hour and place.

By Wm. H. Young, Deputy.

Reno, May 8th, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the District Court of the Second Judicial District, in and for Washoe county, State of Nevada, duly attested on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1877, to me directed and delivered on the 10th day of April, 1877, upon a judgment recovered in said Court, on the 10th day of April, 1877, in favor of the State of Nevada, Plaintiff, against Antonio Rayer, Defendant, for the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars, I have levied upon the following personal property, to wit: Eighty (80) cords of cut pine wood, more or less, lying near the town of Reno, in the town of Reno, Washoe county, State of Nevada, and between the street and Ashland Mill ditch, being in the Block bounded by Main, West, Fifth and Sixth streets. Notice is hereby given that on Saturday the 10th day of May, A. D. 1877, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M., to wit: at 9 o'clock P. M. of said day, on the premises above described, I will sell at public auction all the right, title and interest of said Defendant in and to the above described personal property to the highest and best bidder for cash to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs.

K. LAMB,

Sheriff of Washoe county, State of Nevada

By Wm. H. Young, Deputy.

Dated May 11th, A. D. 1877.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ESTATE OF C. W. FREDRICKS—Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned

Administratrix of the above named estate to the

creditors of, and all persons having claims

against said deceased to present the same with

the first publication of this notice to Wm. Cam-

eron, attorney for said administratrix, at his office in

Reno, Nev., or to herself.

DURA FREDRICKS, Administratrix.

Reno, May 7th, 1877.

DISSOLUTION.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EX-

isting under the firm name of Peacock &

Scott is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business of it hereafter be carried on by J.

Peacock or will pay all outstanding debts

against the late firm and collect all bills due the

same.

J. F. PEACOCK.

JAS. A. SCOTT.

May 8th, 1877

JACOB GRAFF

BEGS LEAVE TO INFORM THE PUBLIC

that he has resumed business at the old

stand and will, as formerly, keep a supply of

FRESH BREAD,

PIES, CAKES,

CONFECTIONRY, ETC.

Thankful for past favors he solicits a contin-

ued patronage.

MERCHANT TAILOR.

S. BERWIN

Virginia Street, Reno,

Having just received a fresh stock of Imported

French

DOESKINS, BROADCLOTHS,

CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, &c.

Is prepared to furnish a suit of clothes, fit guar-

anteed, for less cash than any tailor in this State

(or San Francisco)

or, Gloves of all kinds made to order

HOMESTEADS FOR SALE.

THREE HARD FINISHED COTTAGES

FOR SALE.

Four Rooms in Each.

Well situated on Lake street, near the Depot

will be sold on the

INSTALLMENT PLAN.

AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICE

Enquire of

S. F. HOOLE.

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PRACTICAL LAUNDRYMEN.

WE TAKE FOR AND RETURN CLOTHES

whenever desired. We guarantee and

return the same in the best condition

so long as they are not damaged by

us. We are not justified in saying that

we give good satisfaction. Charges reasonable.

Call on us at 10th.

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O. LORIST. E. R. BORTH.

VERDI PLANING MILL CO.

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN

LUMBER

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

MINING AND BRIDGE TIMBERS,

SHINGLES,

Common and Finishing Lumber,

Matched and Dressed Flooring, Ceiling,

Bevel Edge Siding, Rustic Shing,

Fancy painted Fickets,

DOORS, BLINDS, SASH, MOLDING,

PANTRY FRONT DOORS, TRANSOMS,

Window and Door Frames, and Arch-

itraves Made to Order,

BRACKETS, SAWED BALUSTERS,

And all kinds of Scroll Sawing done

to order.

NEWEL POSTS, BALUSTERS & TURNINGS

Of all Descriptions.

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

Address VERDI MILL CO.,

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GRANGER HOUSE,

CORNER VIRGINIA AND SECOND STS.,

RENO, NEVADA.

BAR FURNISHED WITH THE BEST OF

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

Table Supplied with all the Market

Affords.

NO CHINAMEN EMPLOYED.

HOUSE OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

Board & Lodging (per week).....\$8 00

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Reno April 14-17

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KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND THE

best assortment of

Family Groceries, Fruit, Vegetables, Sugar, Coffee,

Tea, Spices, Bacon, Ham, Butter, Eggs,

Fresh and Dried Fruit, Crackers of all

kinds, Canned Fruit, Canned Veget-

ables, Canned Oysters and Sar-

dines, Coal Oil, Cheese, Nuts

Candy, Tobacco, Cigars,

Baskets and Brooms,

Which we will sell at the lowest market price

Call and see for yourself.

GEO. W. CUNNINGHAM.

Commercial Row Reno.

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1917.

THE MEAT SHIPPING BUSINESS.

We extract from the Winnemucca Silver State some of the "points" contained in the lecture delivered at that place a few evenings since by Mr. J. Earl, Vice President of the new meat and fruit shipping company. He explained with considerable detail what the company had already done, and proposed to do. He continued:

The first point was to know whether dressed meats can be shipped, and the next where to ship them to. He said the first question had been practically solved. Dressed meats were being shipped thousands of miles, and were sought for and commanded a higher price in the large cities than those slaughtered in the market, for the reason that cattle shipped a few hundred miles in cars arrive at their destination bruised and feverish and in poor condition for human food, while the meat of those butchered near their pastures and then market in refrigerator cars was fresh, juicy and wholesome. But aside from sanitary reasons a great saving was effected in the cost of handling and transportation. A refrigerator car will take to market twice the quantity of beef that can be shipped alive, and at less cost. There is no stopping on the way, at a heavy expense, to feed and rest stock, and when a car arrives at San Francisco or New York there is no expense for corraling and feeding stock. The car is unloaded and immediately taken back to be loaded again.

The second question was easily solved. If San Francisco did not afford a market for meats, China and Japan were ready to purchase, and New York and Philadelphia, with the ever increasing demand from Europe, to which price the company ships at the present time, though the business is yet in its infancy, 1,000 tons of meat weekly, was within reach, and would insure a market for the increased production which would necessarily ensue from the introduction of this new enterprise in Nevada. The railroad company showed every disposition to forward the enterprise by liberal rates of transportation, feeling assured that the increase of the product would in a short time more than compensate for the reduction in the number of cars at first required for shipment. The managers of the enterprise are all producers, cattle men and farmers, who will conduct it economically. Mr. Earl called upon

MR. MORSE, TRAIN DISPATCHER

Here, who was conversant with the mode of shipping meats in refrigerator cars. Mr. Morse stated that for four years he had seen meat shipped from Denver, Colorado, to New York and Boston, and that sold for a higher price in those cities than that slaughtered at Brighton and Cornucopia. The cars were provided with four receptacles, each, for ice, and the temperature could, with a small quantity of ice and salt, be regulated more easily than that of a room with a stove, and was invariably kept a few degrees above freezing.

At the close of Mr. Morse's remarks,

COMMITTEES WERE CHOSEN

As follows: To solicit subscriptions to defray the expenses of committees to be sent to different parts of the country, among farmers and cattle men: James Manning, C. C. Biles, L. L. Rickard, David Gerout.

To solicit subscriptions to the capital stock in Winnemucca: M. B. Staunton, Chas. Kemler, W. C. Record.

To solicit subscriptions in Southern and Western Humboldt: G. M. Miller, Unionville; Henry Muttelbury, Big Meadows; E. P. Torrey, Orleans; L. A. Blakeslee, Humboldt House.

To solicit subscriptions in Quin River Valley: H. H. McColly, C. A. LaGrave, George Berrott.

To solicit subscriptions in the Stein Mountain country: P. French, T. R. Davidson, George Crowley.

In Paradise Valley: R. H. Scott, C. A. Nichols, James Harvey.

At large: Major Buckner, C. A. Kyle, George Carrell.

W. L. French was chosen Corresponding Secretary, and after some remarks by R. W. Wood and Mr. Earl the meeting adjourned until next Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Tuesday, at a meeting of the several committees, the following executive committee was elected: George Berrot, P. W. Johnson, R. H. Scott, R. W. Wood and Wm. Sampson.

CHOLERA prevailed to an alarming extent about Chittagong and in the islands inundated by the great storm wave on the 31st of October, and 50,000 deaths have been reported from cholera, and, in addition, there have been a large number of deaths from postmortal strokes.

TELEGRAPHIC MELANGE.

MOST IMPORTANT ITEMS IN YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

Great Fires.

LUNENBURG, Vt., May 16.—Forest fires are raging in New Hampshire. Six thousand cords of wood has been burned. Trains on the Portland and Ogdensburg railroad are delayed 12 hours.

CHICAGO, May 16.—A special from the vicinity of Green Bay reports the Spring fires in the woods north of there raging frightfully, and there is now almost one continuous blaze from Marquette to Ispenig, Mich., a distance of 120 miles. The fire is extending back some places in the forest a distance of from 12 to 15 miles. The Northwestern Railroad company lost 130 cords of wood yesterday, and the Quincy Mine lost 5,000 cords. The loss of pine timber is heavy. Rain alone will stop the flames and prevent further losses, which even now aggregate hundreds of thousands of dollars.

WOOD FALL, N. Y., May 16.—The forest fires in this vicinity have rendered hundreds of persons homeless. At Stockpole Forge, Cannons Corners and Centerville the people are fleeing in every direction, frequently barely escaping with their lives. At the latter place a number of dwellings with barns attached, six sawmills, two stores and a church were swept away, also a large quantity of lumber. The entire property of Stockpole Forge is destroyed. One million of dollars worth of property is destroyed at Clifton Mills.

Our Treaties Regarding Contraband Goods

WASHINGTON, May 16.—As there is much comment as to the probability of the Russian fleet at New York going to sea for the purpose of intercepting vessels suspected of having munitions of war on board, it may be proper to state that according to our treaties with France, Prussia, Brazil, Sweden, the Netherlands, United States of Columbia, Spain, Holland, and several other nations examining vessels shall remain out of gunshot of the vessel to be searched, and send small boats to board the vessels suspected. Proof with respect to cargo must be certified, containing particulars of the cargo, place sailed from, where bound, etc., but parcels are not to be opened nor any of the packages, unless the vessel is brought to shore, and then in the presence of competent officers. The master of a suspected vessel cannot be required to leave his own ship. Our treaties with Great Britain and Russia are silent as to the whole proceeding. Under the treaties with the other nations first mentioned everything is left to depend on the honesty of the ship's papers. Contrabands may lie beneath every hatch under the guise of hardware on the manifests and cannot be examined, except by the vessels of either Great Britain or Russia, which Governments are not bound by the tactics above cited.

Reforming the Consular Service.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The Tribune's Washington correspondent says that Evans, in relation to Consular service reform, will insist upon the three following points: First—It will be his aim to fill all the important commercial consulates by appointing men of commercial experience. Second—In selecting Consuls for Oriental ports, where judicial duties have to be performed, none except educated lawyers will be appointed. Third—One of the essential qualifications required of all Consuls will be that they shall be able to speak the language of the country in which they are stationed.

The President's Reception.

NEW YORK, May 16.—President Hayes held a reception in the Governor's room at the City Hall today. From the opening till the close there was a continuous rush of citizens eager to shake hands with the President. A pleasant feature of the reception was the act of the President in taking a rose from the button-hole of his coat and presenting it to an old lady.

Miners Outbreak.

DENVER, May 16.—A serious outbreak is reported among the miners in California Gulch, near Oro City. Stevens, a banker, failed to pay up and they seized him and demanded \$2000 or enough to take them to Detroit. The money was paid, and another \$2,000 wrung from him. They talked strongly of lynching Stevens, but no violence was attempted.

A Battle Expected in Armenia.

LONDON, May 16.—A dispatch from Batoum, Monday night says the Russians are moving in front of our position, evidently preparing for an attack. A great battle is believed to be imminent.

Whisky Frauds.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—A dispatch was published this morning to the effect that a letter was on file at the Treasury Department from Special Revenue Agent Clark, formerly engaged in investigating whisky frauds on this coast, charging Gen. LaGrange, Superintendent of the Mint, with attempting to bribe Clark, to let up on the whisky thieves in this city. General LaGrange is disinclined at present to make any reply to such charge, preferring to take notice of attacks made upon him until such time as his official obligations will no longer interfere with the full refutation of all charges.

Cut Down Mining Expenses.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 16.—A meeting of prominent bankers, brokers and capitalists interested in stocks was held at the Palace Hotel last evening. The session lasted about two hours. The only information vouchsafed as to the nature of the proceedings is that a committee was appointed, consisting of J. C. Flood, Wm. Sharon, J. D. Fry, J. W. Coleman, A. H. Lissak, Aleck Austin and M. J. McDonald, to consult with the officers of mining companies listed at the stock-board to suggest means by which the general expenses of conducting the affairs of the various mining companies can be reduced.

SOMETHING ABOUT NEWSPAPERS.

That the Americans are a reading people is manifest by the statistics of the newspaper press of the country, as given by the Newspaper Directory for 1917, just issued by S. M. Petengill & Co., the well-known advertising agents of New York, Boston and Philadelphia. There are reported in it the names, character (political, agricultural, religious, medical, etc.) and names of publishers of no less than 795 dailies, 79 tri-weeklies, 125 semi-weeklies, 9,606 weeklies, 122 semi-monthlies, 771 monthlies, 16 bi-monthlies and 60 quarterlies, published in the United States and the British American Provinces. The Directory shows the number of each of these editions which are published in each State, Territory or Province.

The book contains 376 pages, and embraces an immense amount of valuable information, showing great labor and care in its collection and preparation. It gives all necessary facts for an advertiser to know about 8,574 separate publications, while it is also interesting and valuable for the general reader, the student of American periodical literature, and the observer of American institutions. The book is sold at the low price of \$1.00 per copy.

The South Carolina Senate and House met Tuesday in Columbus in joint convention to ballot for Chief Justice of the State. Associate Justice A. J. Millard was elected on the first ballot. This creates a vacancy in the Associate Justice-ship, an election for which will probably take place next week.

The United States, with a population less than that of Germany, has more miles of railways than Russia, Turkey, Germany, Austria, Great Britain and Italy combined, our mileage being nearly 80,000, against 76,620 in those countries.

A SCHOOL LAW recently adopted in Missouri requires school boards to give the preference to colored teachers for colored schools, and prohibits the employment of a white teacher for a colored school when a competent colored one can be had.

TWELVE thousand additional men have been distributed among the garrisons of Alsace and Lorraine. The Paris newspapers announce that the German Emperor has signed a decree reinforcing the garrison in Alsace and Lorraine to 50,000 men.

THE RYE PATCH MINE.—We learn from Superintendent Greenwell of the Rye Patch mine, who was in town yesterday, that the mine is looking better than ever before, and with the limited capacity of the mill is now producing \$1,000 per day in bullion.—Winn. Silver State.

NEW TO-DAY.

JONES & KINKAD GOLD AND SILVER MINING CO.—Location of principal place of business, Reno, Nevada. Location of works, Pyramid Mining District, Washoe county, Nevada.

There are delinquent upon the following delinquent upon the following described stock on account of assessment (No. 1), levied on the 16th day of April, 1917, the several amounts set opposite the name of the respective shareholder, as follows:

Name	No. Cert.	No. Shrs.	Am't.
David Robnett	1	10,387	\$123.07
David Robnett	3	3,940	39.40
David Robnett	4	3,940	39.40
David Robnett	5	7,880	78.80
David Robnett	6	7,870	78.70
David Robnett	7	1,970	19.70
David Robnett	8	1,968	19.68

Ans. In accordance with law, and an order of the Board of Directors made on the 16th day of April, 1917, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the Reno Savings Bank, Reno, Nev., on Saturday the 16th day of June, 1917, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M. of said day to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

By order of the Board of Trustees.
J. C. PATTERSON, Secretary.
Reno, May 16, 1917.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BRANCH "WHITE HOUSE"

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THIS SPACE RESERVED FOR

THE NEW ADVERTISEMENT OF THE

BRANCH "WHITE HOUSE"

CLOTHING STORE,

OF VIRGINIA CITY,

WHICH WILL BE OPENED IN

RENO,

Next Door to the Postoffice, by

COHN & ISAACS,

On or About the 20th Instant.

WITH THE MOST

MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF

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Ever Exhibited in Reno.

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